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NAVPERS 716 (Rev. 4-56)

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DECK LOG BOOK

OF THE

U.S.S. ABNAKI (ATF 96)

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

COMMANDED BY

LT JAMES R. WILLIAMS, U. S. N.

Attached to
- Division,
- COMSERVRON FIVE Squadron,
- COMSERVGRU THREE Flotilla,
- SEVENTH Fleet,
- Naval District,

Commencing 0000(I), MONDAY, 1 AUGUST 1966,
(zone time and date)

at BUCKNER BAY, OKINAWA,
(location)

and ending 2400(G), WEDNESDAY, 31 AUGUST 1966,
(zone time and date)

at BANGKOK, THAILAND
(location)

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TO BE FORWARDED DIRECT TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS Hanks (DATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Monday (Day) 1 (Date) August (Month) 19 66

AT/PASSAGE FROM Buckner Bay, Okinawa TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored STARboard Side to Pier Bravo, Buckner Bay Okinawa with Standard Mooring lines doubled Receiving Fresh water from the pier. Ships present include USS Markab AR-23, US Army Tugs and one unit of the US Coast Guard Material Condition Yoke (Modified Set) SOPA is CO MARKAB 0030 FN3 Buddy C. Nix USN 688 03 05 and FM3 Donald E. Ladyn USN 774 72 45 Returned to the ship having Completed TAD 0745 Mustered the Crew at Quarters Absentees: None

LTJG M. M. Musitte

08-24 Moored As before. 0800 USS Markab (AR-23) Got Underway and Stood out of the Harbor 1155 USS Edwards (DD-950) Stood into the Harbor and Moored portside to Pier Bravo 1512 USS Edwards Got underway and Stood out of the Harbor 1659 USS Markab (AR-23) Stood into the harbor and Moored Portside to ~~the~~ Pier Bravo. 1754 pursuant to the Commanding Officers orders EM3 Lawrence R.E. 430 36 85 USN departed the ship For TAD with Senior Shore Patrol Officer Buckner Bay 1800 Set Condition Yoke (Modified) 2325 EM3 Lawrence R. E. 430 36 85 USN returned to the ship having Completed TAD

WO [illegible] USN

APPROVED: L T James R. Robinson U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M. M. Musitte U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS Abnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Tuesday (Day) 2 (Date) August (Month) 19 66

AT/PASSAGE FROM Buckner Bay Okinawa TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____		BY _____
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 26° 32.3' N		BY 2
λ 128° 27.7' E		BY 2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 27° 40' N		BY 1
λ 130° 02' E		BY 1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored Starboard side to pier Bravo, Buckner Bay, Okinawa with standard mooring lines doubled Receiving Fresh water from the pier Ships present include USS Markab (AFR-23) US Army tugs and one unit of the US Coast Guard Mattessak Condition yoke (modified) set. SOPA is CO USS Markab 0700 Commenced preparations for getting underway 0730 Mustered the Crew at Quarters Absentees: None 0745 Stationed the Special Sea and Anchor details

WO Hoa Van Nguyen USN

08-12 Moored as before 0800 completed all preparations for getting underway Draft Fwd. 14'3" Aft. 16'6" 0804 Underway in accordance with CTF MSG. 280530 July 1966 and USS Markab (AFR-23) 010910Z to proceed to Yokosuka, Japan Maneuvering to Clear the pier. Captain and Navigator are on the bridge 0809 Steering various courses at various speeds standing out of Buckner Bay 0845 Secured the Special Sea and Anchor details, Set the Regular Steaming watch 0852 Passed Buckner Bay Mid Channel buoy Abeam to Port 300yds. 0903 with Chuame Saki Point bearing 245 22Mi. Took departure for Yokosuka Japan Set base Course 051 Speed 12.3 KTS.

WO Hoa Van Nguyen USN

12-16 Underway as before 1249 Sighted Merchant Ship Brg. 048 Distance About 14 miles on Approximately Reciprocal Course 131 Identified Merchant Ship as SS Kissow, Japanese Registry Route Unknown, Passed SS Kissow Abeam to Port distance About 1 mile 1413 Sighted Merchant Ship bearing 043 Distance About 12 mi. on Approximately Reciprocal Course 143 C/C to 040° 1435 C/C to 030° 1437 Identified Merchant Ship as SS Osanyard Maru, Japanese Registry Route Unknown Passed SS Osanyard Maru Abeam to Stbd, Distance About 2 miles 1445 C/C to 057° 1452 Sighted Merchant Ship bearing 049° distance About 10 miles on Approximately Reciprocal Course 150 Identified Merchant Ship as Japanese Registry Name Unknown, Route Unknown 1515 C/C to 040° 1518 Passed Japanese Merchant Ship Abeam to Stbd, Distance About 2 Mi. 1521 C/C to 057°

LTJG R. C. Higgins, USNR

APPROVED:

Lt James R Wilcox U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED:

LTJG M J Marquette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI ATF-96 DATE TUESDAY 2 AUG 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-18 Underway as before.

ENS John R. Lage, USNR

18-20 Underway as before.

LTJG M. Gmoiselle, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS before, 2021 4/c TO 048°

WO [illegible] USN

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT [illegible] U. S. N. COMMANDING LTJG M. Gmoiselle U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS ABUAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 3 (Date) AUGUST (Month) 19 66

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM BUCKNER BAY, OKINAWA TO YOKOSUKA, JAPAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 23° 29' N	BY	1
λ 132° 12.5' E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 29° 51.5' N	BY	1
λ 133° 11.2 E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 31° 04.5' N	BY	1
λ 134° 16.5' E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently enroute from Buckner Bay, Okinawa to Yokosuka, Japan in accordance with CTF 73 msg 280530Z of July and USS Markab msg 010910Z. Base course is 045, Base speed is 12.3 kts. Material Condition Yoke (modified) and Readiness condition IV are set.

LTJG K. Higgins, USNR

04-08 Underway as before. 0745 mustered the crew on station: absentees, none.

ENS John R. Sage USNR

08-12 Underway as before. 0800 Exercised the crew at general quarters. 0801 Set material condition ~~YOKE (modified)~~ EBRO (modified). 0856 Set material condition YOKE (modified). 0900 Secured from general quarters.

LTJG M. Gradisette, USN

12-16 Underway as before

WO Glen Nguyen USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1642 MERCHANT SHIP SIGHTED BEARING 051, DISTANCE ABOUT 11 MILES. 1655 C/C TO 065. 1706 C/C TO 048. 1708 IDENTIFIED THE MERCHANT SHIP AS THE SS GUNUNG KERINTJI OF INDONESIAN REGISTRY. PASSED THE SS GUNUNG KERINTJI ABEAM TO PORT DISTANCE 1.5 MILES. ~~1716 MERCHANT SHIP SIGHTED BEARING 110, DISTANCE ABOUT 15.5 MILES.~~ M

LTJG F.C. Higgins, USNR

18-20 Underway as before.

ENS John R. Sage USNR

APPROVED: LT James A. Culliam U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M. Gradisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI ATF-96 DATE WED 3 AUG 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

20-24 Underway as before.

LTJG McGuinnette

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James R. Sullivan U. S. N. COMMANDING LTJG McGuinnette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9T DATE Thursday (Day) 4 (Date) August (Month) 19 66

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Buckner Bay, Okinawa TO Yokosuka, Japan

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 32° 36'N	BY	2
λ 136° 30'E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 33° 07'N	BY	1
λ 137° 07'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 34° 13'N	BY	2
λ 138° 49.2'E	BY	2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently enroute from Buckner Bay, Okinawa to Yokosuka, Japan in accordance with CTF 73 MSG. 280530Z of July and USS Mackenzie (AGF-23) 010910Z. Base Course is 048 Base speed 12.3 KTS. Material Condition Yoke (Modified) set and Readiness Condition IV Areas 0010 C/C to 065, 0013 C/C to 110, 0021 C/C to 070, 0023 C/C to 048

WO Hunter Eggers USN

04-08 Underway as before

LTJG H. Higgins, USNR

08-12 Underway as before. 0735, c/c 063°. 0739, c/c 048° JCS 0800, mustered the crew at stations; absentee: none.

ENS John R. Sage, USNR

12-16 Underway as before.

LTJG [illegible], USN

16-18 Underway as before, 1719 C/S TO 3.3 KTS, 1725 C/C TO 270 1727 C/S TO 6.7 KTS. Steering various courses at various speeds while investigating Abnormal Soundings.

WO Hunter Eggers USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1801 CONTINUED STEERING ~~VARIOUS~~ JCS VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS, WHILE MANEUVERING TO DETERMINE SOUNDINGS. 1852 SET BASE COURSE 030, BASE SPEED 12.3 KTS.

LTJG H. C. Higgins, USNR

20-24 Underway as before. 2040, c/c 020. 2047, c/c 030. 2120, Sighted Mickonoto light bearing 354°, 10.5 miles. 2126 c/c 8.6 KTS. 2213 passed Mickonoto light abeam to port, distance 5 miles. 2327 Sighted ~~Kod~~ Kayahaya Saki Radio beacon light bearing 059°, 13 miles.

ENS J. R. Sage USNR

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James R. Williams U. S. N. COMMANDING LTJG [illegible] U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Friday (Day) 5 (Date) August (Month) 19 66

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Buckner Bay, Okinawa TO Yokosuka, Japan

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently enroute from Buckner Bay Okinawa to Yokosuka, Japan in accordance with CTF-73 Msg. 280530Z of July and USS Markab Msg. of 010910Z Condition of Readiness I and Material Condition Yoke (Mod.) Set Base Course ~~056~~ 036 Base Speed 8.5 KTS. 0001 C/S to 6.7 KTS. 0014 C/C to 030. 0040 Passed Kuzakuryu Saki Light 14 beam to stbd, distance 5 Mi. 0046 C/C to 056, 0207 Sighted Joga Shima Light bearing 033 13.5 Miles 0213 Sighted Suno Saki Light bearing 082 15 Mi. 0232 Sighted Tsurugi Light bearing 038 15 Mi. 0248 C/C to 050. 0250 C/C to 045 0254 C/C to 040. 0313 C/C to 059

LTJG M. J. Marcisette, USN

04-08 Underway as before 0352 C/C to 056. 0430 passed Joga Shima Light 4 beam to Port 5 Mi. 0444 C/C to 030. 0447 C/C to 023 0454 C/C to 035. 0456 C/C to 045. 0509 passed Tsurugi Light 4 beam to port 3½ Mi. 0518 C/C to 020. 0600 C/C to ~~358~~ 358. 0611 passed Mid Channel buoy #1 4 beam to port 120 yds. 0623 C/C to 000. 0637 C/C to 338. 0640 passed Mid channel Buoy #2 4 beam to Port 200 yds. 0655 set The Special Sea and Anchor details 0700 C/C to 312. 0702 passed Mid channel buoy #3 4 beam to port distance 250 yds. 0707 passed buoy Bravo 4 beam to Starboard 500 yds. 0712 C/C to 310 0721 passed Mid Channel buoy #4 4 beam to Port 350 yds. 0721 C/C to 270. 0736 C/S to 3.3 KTS. 0738 C/S to 7.6 KTS. 0741 C/C to 280. 0742 passed buoy #1 4 beam to Port 450 yds. 0748 C/C to 219. 0750 C/C to 215. 0752 ~~C/C to~~ C/S to 9.5 KTS. 0753 C/C to 184 0753 passed Buoy #7 4 beam to port distance 150 yds. 0754 Steering Various Courses at Various speeds to Moor Port Side to Berth Eight South, Truman Bay, Yokosuka, Japan 0800 Mustered the Crew on Stations Absentees; none 0800 Moored port Side to Berth Eight South, Truman Bay, Yokosuka, Japan with Four Standard Mooring Lines doubled Fore and Aft. Sopa is CO USS Oklahoma City CL6-5

WO Ejected by your USN

08-24 Moored as before. 0805 Secured the Special Sea and Anchor detail. 1644 Pursuant to orders of the Commanding Officer ENS. Rodney J. Moore, USN, 696 03 24, left the ship to report to Senior shore patrol Officer, Yokosuka, Japan, for TAD. 1806 Set Material Condition Yoke (modified).

APPROVED: LT James R Schulein U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M J Marcisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI ATF-96 DATE FRIDAY 5 AUGUST 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08- 24 (Continued) Moored as before.

LTJG H. C. Higgins, USNR

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James A Wilson U. S. N. COMMANDING LTJG M. J. Gramsitta U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS ABUAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE SATURDAY (Day) 6 (Date) AUGUST (Month) 19 66

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	3-VISUAL
λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored portside to pier #8 South, U.S. Naval Base, Yokosuka, Japan with standard mooring lines doubled. Material Condition Yoke (modified) Sft. P.O.P.A. is CO USS Oklahoma City CLG-5. Ships present include ordnance units of the U.S. Pacific Fleet and Small Yard craft. 0045 EN3 Rodney L Moore, USN, 696 0334 returned to the ship having completed TAD. 0745 Mustered the crew at quarters; absentees, none.

LTjg F. Higgins, USNR

00-24 Moored as before. 0820, USS Banner, AKL 25 came along side and moored to Starboard. 1650, SK3 Robert J. Ables, USN, 6983786 departed the ship for TAD with the senior shore patrol officer. ~~0106, SK3 Albert J. Ables returned from TAD.~~ JRS

ENS JR Sage USNR

APPROVED: LT James A. Williams U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG McDonald U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS Hoolaki AFF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Sunday (Day) 7 (Date) August (Month). 1966

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM Yokosuka, Japan TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored outside to pier #8 South, US Naval Base Yokosuka, Japan with standard mooring lines doubled in a nest of two (2) ships. USS Banner (AKL-25) moored outboard to starboard. Material condition yoke (modified) is set. SOPA is CO. USS Oklahoma City (CLG-5). Ships present include various units of the US Seventh Fleet, district yard and merchant ships. 0106, SK3 Robert L. Ables 698 37 86 returned to the ship from TAD. 0745 mustered the crew on stations; all Reflues: none.

ENS J.R. Page USNR

08-24 Moored as before, 1550 BM2 John F. Callahan USN 350 0193 USN departed pursuant to Command sub officers orders for TAD with Yokosuka Japan & hose parted. 1800 Set Condition Yoke (Modified).

WO Elza Ensyyen USN

*Late entry, 1000 CO USS Oklahoma City passed SOPA to ComPhibRon 3 embarked in USS George Clymer (APA-27)

WO Elza Ensyyen USN

APPROVED:

Lt James R Nicholson U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED:

LTJG McMonagle S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS Abarki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Monday (Day) 8 (Date) August (Month) 19 66

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM Yokosuka, Japan TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored portside to pier #5 South, U.S. NAVAL BASE YOKOSUKA JAPAN with Standard moorings lines doubled in a nest of 2 ships USS Barnard (AKA-75) Moored outboard to Stbd. Material Condition Yoke (Mod.) is set. Sopa is Com Phib Rpn 3 Ships present include various units of the US Pacific Fleet, District and yard Craft and Merchant Ships 0040 BM3 John F. Callaghan 350 01 93 USN Returned from TAD 0745 Mustered the Crew at Quarters, Absentees None

WO Yeoman USN

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1650 PURSUANT TO ORDERS OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER EN3 KENNETH HAYWORTH, 686 13 50, USN, DEPARTED THE SHIP FOR TAD WITH SENIOR SHORE PATROL OFFICER, U.S. NAVAL BASE, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN. 1800 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED).

LTJG T.C. Higgins, USNR

APPROVED: LT James A. Nicholson U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG [illegible] U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE TUESDAY (Day) 9 (Date) AUGUST (Month) 19 66

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORTSIDE TO PIER #8 SOUTH, U.S. NAVAL BASE, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS, U.S.S. BANNER (AKL-25) MOORED OUTBOARD TO STBD. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MOD) IS SET. SOPA IS COMPHIBRON 3, SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, DISTRICT AND YARD CRAFT AND MERCHANT SHIPS. 0010 EN3, KENNETH R. HAYWORTH, 686-13-50, USN RETURNED TO THE SHIP HAVING COMPLETED TAD. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; ABSENTEES, NONE.

2Lt/j F.C. Higgins, USNR

08-24 Moored as before. 1730, IC3 Marlin D. Hougman, USN, 598 0992 departed for TAD with the senior P^rs shore patrol officer. 1800 set material condition yoke (modified).

ENS J.R. Lage USNR

APPROVED:

LT James R. Weiler U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED:

LTJG M. Amoriselle U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Wednesday (Day) 10 (Date) August (Month) 19 66

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ Yokosuka, Japan TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 35° 00'N		BY 2
λ 139° 28.3E		BY 2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L		BY
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored portside to pier #8 South, US Naval Base Yokosuka, Japan with Standard mooring lines doubled in a nest of two ships. USS Bannock (AKL-29) moored outboard to Starboard. Material Condition yoke (modified) is set. SOPA is COMPhibRon 3. Ships present include Various units of the US Pacific Fleet, District yard craft and merchant ships. 0040 LTJG Robert F. Jenkins USN reported for duty, pursuant to BuPers order 168070. 0045 IC3 Marlin D. Hougham, USN 578092 returned from TAD 0700 Commanding Officer USS Oklahoma City assumed SOPA 0745 mustered the crew at Quarters (Mountain) none.

ENS John F. Sarge USNR

08-24 Moored as before, 0805 set the special Sea and Anchor details, 0830 Mr. Fitzgerald, pilot arrived onboard and assumed the Comm. 0840 received PV-3 PV-9 and PV-7 alongside to Starboard. *0843 Underway 0854 moored portside to berth #8 with Standard mooring lines doubled. SOPA is C.O. USS Oklahoma City. 0903 Pilot left the ship 0905 secured the special sea and Anchor details. 1022 Commenced fueling from (YO-47) Yokosuka, Japan, draft fwd 14'7" Aft. 15'9" 1125 fueling Completed draft fwd 14'2" Aft. 16'8". 1730 pursuant to Commanding Officers orders EM3 Robert E. Laurence 430 3685 USN departed for TAD with Yokosuka Shore Patrol 1800 set Material Condition Yoke (modified). *0830 USS BANNER GOT UNDERWAY TO ALLOW ABNAKI TO GET UNDERWAY

WO Stephen Ferguson USN

APPROVED: LT James L. Williams U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M. McMorisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS ABNAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE THURSDAY (Day) 11 (Date) AUGUST (Month) 19 66

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L ~~35°-00.6'N~~	BY	~~1200~~
λ ~~139°-28.3'E~~	BY	~~1200~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L	BY	
λ	BY	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored portside to pier #6 U.S. Naval Base, Yokosuka Japan with standard mooring lines (4) doubled. Material Condition Yoke (modified) in set. SOPA is CO USS Oklahoma City (CLG-5). Ships present include various units of the U.S. Seventh Fleet, District and Yard craft and merchant ships. 0015 En3 Robert E. Laurence 430 36 85 USN returned from TAD with shore patrol. 0745 Mustered the crew at quarters; absentees, none.

WO Type Rogers USN

08-24 Moored as before. 1345 1330 Tinker Gate brought USSC-(102) alongside to stbd. 1345 YTM 414 moored alongside to stbd. 1350 Underway in accordance with verbal orders from port control to shift berths. 1353 Moored portside to portside of USS Grasp (ARS-24). USSC-(102) moored starboard side to our starboard side at berth #6 forward, U.S. Naval Base, Yokosuka, Japan. 1715 Pursuant to orders of the Commanding Officer, EM3 Robert E Laurence, 430 36 85, USN departed this ship for TAD with senior shore patrol. Naval Base, Yokosuka, Japan. 1800 Set Material Condition Yoke (modified).

LTjg H. Higgins, USNR

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APPROVED: LT James R. Williams U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M Mossette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS ABUAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE FRIDAY (Day) 12 (Date) AUGUST (Month) 19 66

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 34°-16' N		BY 3
λ 138°-46' E		BY 3

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored portside to portside of USS Grasp (ARS-24) with standard mooring lines doubled in a nest of three ships. USS-(102) moored starboard side to starboard of USS Abnaki (ATF-96). Grasp moored to pier #5 South. Material Condition Yoke (modified). Det. SOPA is CO USS Oklahoma City (CLG-5) Ships present include various units of the U.S. Pacific Fleet, District and Yard craft and Merchant ships. 0045 EM3 Robert E. Lawrence, 430 36 85, USN returned aboard having completed TAD. 0600 Commenced preparations for getting underway. Set Material Condition Yoke. 0630 Mustered the crew at quarters, absentees; none. 0645 Stationed the Special Sea and Anchor detail 0653 Captain is on the bridge. 0654 Completed all preparations for getting underway. 0701 Underway for Gan, Seattling, Thailand with USS-(102) in tow in compliance with Commander Fleet First Quarter Operation Schedule. Maneuvering to clear the berth. 0705 Commenced streaming the tow. 0720 Commenced steering various courses at various speeds while standing out of Yokosuka Harbor. Passed buoy #7 abeam to starboard, distance 200 yards. Passed buoy #8 abeam to port, distance 200 yards. 0738 Passed buoy #5 abeam to starboard distance 200 yards. 0740 Passed buoy #6 abeam to port, distance 1,000 yards. 0745 Navigator is on the bridge. 0815 Secured the Special Sea and Anchor detail. Secured from streaming the tow, tow veered to 600 feet and on the brake. 0817 Passed buoy #4 abeam to port, distance 400 yards. 0848 Passed Mid-Channel buoy #2 abeam to port, distance 100 yards. 0912 Passed mid-Channel buoy abeam to port, distance 1200 yards c/s to 10.8 kts. 0933 C/C to 205° 0943 C/C to 195°, 1012 C/C to 246°, 1017 c/s to 9.5 kts. 1018 Commenced veering the tow 1032 c/s to 6.7 kts c/s to 9.5 kts 1039 c/s to 10.8 kts. 1040 Secured from veering the tow, tow streamed to 900 feet and on the brake. 1050 C/C to 273°. 1114 c/s to 11.8 kts. 1117 C/C to 245°

LTjg K. Higgins, USNR

12-16 Underway as before. 1333, C/C 215°

Ens J R Lacy USNR

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James A. Johnson U. S. N. COMMANDING LTJG W Gonsalves U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

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USS HOBNAKI ATF-96 DATE FRIDAY 12 AUG. 1966
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-18 Underway as before. 1730 Passed TSUMAKI SAKI light abeam to starboard distance 5 miles. 1750 with MIKOMOTO JIMA light bearing 010, 12.5 miles, took departure for Sattahip Thailand. Set take course 225, speed 11.5 KTS

Lt(jg) M. Gmoisette USN

18-20 Underway as before. 1903 C/C to 230°

NO Ens. Thayer USN

20-24 Underway as before. 2059 Lost sight of Irozaki light bearing 027°, distance 25 miles. 2130 Lost sight of Koge Shima light, bearing 087°, distance 30 miles. 2200 Lost sight of land on radar, bearing 083°, distance 32 miles.

Lt(jg) F.C. Higgins, USNR

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James R. Wilcox U. S. N. COMMANDING LTJG M. Gmoisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Alnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Saturday 13 August 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM Yokosuka, Japan TO Sattahip, Thailand

POSITION ZONE TIME		
0800		
L 33°18 N	BY	1
λ 137°04 E	BY	1

POSITION ZONE TIME		
1200		
L 32°46'N	BY	1
λ 136°48'E	BY	1

POSITION ZONE TIME		
2000		
L 32°04 N	BY	1
λ 136°24E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with USS 402 under tow enroute from Yokosuka, Japan to Sattahip, Thailand in accordance with Commanders first qtr FY 1967 operation schedule. Base course is 230° true speed is 11.3 KTS. Material condition yoke (modified) is set. Readiness condition IV, engineering and Damage control condition III are set. Tow line is at 900 ft. Numbers 1-2-3 main generators are in the propulsion loop. Exitator is on number one ships service generator.

ENS. JR Sage USNR

04-08 Underway as before. 0544 0557 C/C To 219 mg

LTJG mg Monisette, USN

08-12 Underway as before* 0822 C/S TO 12.3 KTS. 0933 C/S TO 10.8 KTS.
*0800 Mustered the Crew on Stations Absentees: None

WO Hector Reyes USN

12-16 Underway as before. 1214 C/C to 228°

LTJG T. C. Higgins, USNR

16-18 Underway as before.

ENS JR Sage USNR

18-20 Underway as before.

LTJG mg Monisette, USN

20-24 Underway as before

WO Hector Reyes USN

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James L. Wilkinson U. S. N. COMMANDING LTJG mg Monisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE SUNDAY 14 AUGUST 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
0800	1200	2000	
L 31°24'N BY 2	L 31°04.5'N BY 4	L 29°56.5'N BY 2	
λ 135°17.5'E BY 2	λ 135°00.5'E BY 4	λ 134°12.0'E BY 2	

REMARKS

00-04, Steaming independently with TASS-(102) under tow from Yokosuka, Japan to Sattahip, Thailand in accordance with ComSeventhFlt First Quarter FY 67 operation schedule. Base course is 228, base speed is 10.8 kts. Material Condition Yoke (mod) and Readiness Condition IV are set. Tow wire is at 900 feet, towing engine in manual.

Lt/g H. C. Higgins, USNR

04-08 Underway as before.

ENS John R. Sage USNR

08-12 Underway as before. 0800 Mustered the crew on stations. Absentees: none. 0912 C/C TO 215.

LTJG M. Gmorisette, USN

12-16 Underway as before.

WO Glenn E. Eggers USN

16-18 Underway as before. 1743 C/C TO 180

Lt/g H. C. Higgins, USNR

18-20 Underway as before.

ENS John R. Sage USNR

20-24 Underway as before.

LTJG M. Gmorisette, USN

APPROVED: Lt. James A. Williams U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M. Gmorisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9 I DATE Monday 15 (Day) 14 (Date) August (Month) 1966

AT/PASSAGE FROM Yokosuka Japan TO Sattahip Thailand

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 29° 08' N	BY	1
λ 134° 02' E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 28° 41' N	BY	1
λ 134° 10' E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 28° 40' N	BY	2
λ 134° 34' E	BY	2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with LSSL-102 Under tow from Yokosuka Japan to Sattahip Thailand, in accordance with Com Seventh Flt Ltr First Quarter FY 67 operation Schedule Effy Base Course is 180 Base Speed 10.8 kts. Material Condition Yoke (mod) and readiness condition III are set Tow wire is at 900 feet, towing engine in manual.

WO Thanh Nguyen USN

04-08 Underway as before. 0745 0540 c/s to 10.1 kts. 0745 for Mustered the crew on stations; absentees, None. *0733 c/c 165°.

LTJG A.C. Higgins, USNR

08-12 Underway as before.

ENS J.R. Sosa USNR

12-16 Underway as before.

LTJG M.J. Morisette, USN

16-18 Underway as before.

WO Thanh Nguyen USN

18-20 Underway as before. 1809 C/S to 8.9 kts, c/c to 153° 1810 Tow veered to 1,200 feet, and on manual.

LTJG A. Higgins, USNR

20-24 Underway as before.

ENS J.R. Sosa USNR

APPROVED: H. James L. Delicious U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M.J. Morisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Tuesday (Day) 16 (Date) August (Month) 1966

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Yokosuka Japan TO Sattahip, Thailand

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 27°31'N	BY	1
λ 134°39.5'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 27°02'N	BY	1
λ 134°50'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 26°12.8'N	BY	1
λ 134°45.9'E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independantly with LSSL 102 under Tow enroute from Yokosuka Japan to Sattahip Thailand in accordance with ComSubPac FLT. 1st. Quarter FY 67 operation schedule. Material Condition Yoke (Mod) and Condition of readiness II are set. Base Course 155 Base speed 8.9 kts. Tow is at 1200 ft. on the brake.

LTJG M J Morisette, USN

04-08 Underway as before. 0745 mustered the crew on Stations Absentees: none. 0727 c/s to 9.5 KTS.

WO Ygartuyen USN

08-12 Underway as before. 0931 tow veered to 1500 ft, and on manual. 0952 c/c to 165°

Ltjg H. C. Higgins, USNR

12-16 Underway as before. 1324, c/s to 6.7 KTS. 1325 c/s 8.3 KTS. 1395, c/s 10.1 KTS 1532, c/s ~~85~~ SPS 10.8 KTS.

ENS J R Joyce USNR

16-18 Underway as before. 1750 C/C TO 216. 1903 W ~~C/S TO 12.3 KTS. 1755 C/C 216°.~~

LTJG M J Morisette, USN

18-20 Underway as before ~~1750 C/C TO 200, 1755 C/C TO 216~~, 1903 C/S TO 12.3 KTS W

WO Ygartuyen USN

20-24 Underway as before. 2200 C/S to 10.8 kts.

Ltjg H. C. Higgins, USNR

~~00~~ 05.

APPROVED: Lt James A. Sheehan U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M J Morisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 17 (Date) AUGUST (Month). 19 66

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 24°45.8'N	BY	1
λ 133°42.8'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 24°29'N	BY	1
λ 133°49.0'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 23°54.0'N	BY	2
λ 133°22.5'E	BY	2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with LSSL 102 under tow enroute from Yokosuka, Japan to Sattahip, Thailand in accordance with COMSEVENTHFLT 1st. quarter FY67 operation schedule. Material condition yoke (modified) and condition of readiness IV are set. Base course 216, base speed 10.8 KTS, Zero-~~ZS~~ JRS is at 150 ft. on the brake.

ENS. JR Sage USNR

04-08 Underway as before. 0745 Mustered the crew on station. Absentees: none.

LTJG MJ Gmoisette USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 WENT TO GENERAL QUARTERS. SET MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA. 0858 C/S TO 9.5 KTS. 0901 C/S TO 6.7 KTS. COMMENCED HEAVING IN ON TOW WIRE. 0902 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE. 0905 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 0918 Commenced bringing in the LSSL 102. 0940 TOW veered to 200 FT. 0941 PUT RAFT And INSPECTION PARTY OVER THE SIDE TO INSPECT TOW. 0952 RAFT OVERTURNED Commenced STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO RECOVER MEN FROM THE RAFT. 1055 INSPECTION PARTY AND RAFT ARE ONBOARD 1101 BASE COURSE 218 SPEED 6.7 KTS. 1108 C/S TO 7.7 KTS. TOW STREAMED TO 1500 FT. 1126 C/S TO 9.5 KTS. 1130 C/S TO 10.8 KTS.

WO Thuan Nguyen USN

12-16 Underway as before. 1233 C/S to 10.1 kts.

Lt/g H.C. Higgins, USNR

16-18 Underway as before 1757 C/S To 9.5 KTS

ENS JR Sage USNR

18-20 Underway as before.

LTJG MJ Gmoisette, USN

20-24 Underway as before

WO Thuan Nguyen USN

APPROVED: Lt James A. Schuckman U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG MJ Gmoisette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96), ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE THURSDAY 18 AUGUST 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
0800	1200	2000	
L 23° 03.5'N BY 2	L 22°46'N BY 2	L 22°00.5'N BY 2	
λ 132°41.5'E BY 2	λ 132°30'E BY 2	λ 131°45.7'E BY 2	

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with LSSL-102 under tow enroute from Yokosuka, Japan to Sattahip, Thailand. In accordance with Consecutive 1st Quarter FY67 operation schedule. Base course is 218, Base Speed 9.5 kts. Material Condition Yoke (mod) set. Readiness Condition IV set. Tow wire out 1,500 feet. Towing engine in manual.

Ltjg T. C. Higgins, USNR

04-08 Underway as before.

ENS J R Page USNR

08-12 Underway as before. At 0800 mustered the crew on station. Absentees: none. 1118 C/C TO 225. 0813 C/S TO 10.8 KTS

LTJG M J Monsiette, USN

12-16 Underway as before.

WO Spartagus USN

16-18 Underway as before

Ltjg T. C. Higgins, USNR

18-20 Underway as before

ENS J R Page USNR

20-24 Underway as before. 2337 C/C TO 250.

LTJG M J Monsiette, USN

APPROVED: Lt James A. Robertson U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: LTJG M J Monsiette U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF 96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9 (I) DATE FRIDAY (Day), 19 (Date) AUGUST (Month). 19 66

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
0800	1200	2000	
L 21°31'.0 N BY 2	L 21°25'.2 N BY 2	L 21°07'.3 N BY 2/4	
λ 130°26'.2 E BY 2	λ 130°05'.8 E BY 2	λ 129°13'.0 E BY 2/4	

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY WITH LSSL-1Ø2 UNDER TOW ENROUTE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT FIRST QUARTER FY 1967 OPERATING SCHEDULE. BASE COURSE 250°, BASE SPEED 1Ø.8 KTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS IV SET. TOW WIRE AT 15ØØ FEET, TOWING ENGINE IN MANUAL.

WO Ephraim Eggers USN

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; ABSENTEES: NONE.

Lt/g T. Higgins, USNR

Ø8-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

ENS JR Sage, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

BMC TE Morgan USN.

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

WO Ephraim Eggers USN

18-2Ø UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

Lt/g T. Higgins, USNR

2Ø-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

ENS JR Sage, USNR

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

H James R. Blackburn U. S. N. COMMANDING Robert J Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9(I) DATE Saturday (Day) 20 (Date) August (Month) 19 66

CRUISE/PASSAGE FROM Yokosuka, Japan TO Sattahip, Thailand

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 20°33.9N	BY	2
λ 127°39.0E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 20°25.0'N	BY	1/2
λ 127°32.3'E	BY	1/2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 20°07.2N	BY	2
λ 126°43.5E	BY	2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with 2-55L-~~20~~ 102 under tow enroute from Yokosuka, Japan, to Sattahip, Thailand, in accordance with ComSeventhFlt. First Quarter FY 67 Operational schedule. Base Course 250° (T) Base Speed 10.8 Kts. Material Condition Yoke (Modified) set. Readiness Condition III set. Tow wire at 1500 Ft. Towing Engine in manual.

BMC John C. Morgan USN.

04-08 Underway as before, 0745 Mustered the Crew at Quarters Absentees: None

WO Ephan Nguyen USN

08-12 Underway as before. 0801 C/S to 11.3 kts. 0830 C/S to 10.8 kts. 1112 C/S to 8.3 kts 1127 C/S to 10.8 kts

Lt/g K. Higgins, USNR

12-16 Underway as before.

ENS JR Sage, USNR

16-18 Underway as before

BMC J.E. Morgan USN.

18-20 Underway as before,

WO Ephan Nguyen USN

20-24 Underway as before

Lt/g K. Higgins, USNR

APPROVED: LT James R. Sheehan U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: Robert J Ellis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Sunday 21 August 1966
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Yokosuka, Japan TO Sattahip, Thailand

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
0800 L 19°44.2N BY 2	1200 L 19°30.9N BY 1	2000 L 19°24.0N BY 2/1	
λ 125°23.1N BY 2	λ 124°51.0E BY 1	λ 123°46.1E BY 2/1	

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with LSSL-102 under tow enroute from Yokosuka Japan to Sattahip Thailand in accordance with Commanders Ltr. First Quarter FY-67 operational Schedule. Base course ~~350~~ 250 Base spd. 10.8 kts. Material Condition Yoke (modified) set Readiness Condition IV set. Tow wire at 1900 ft. towing engine in manual.

JR Lage

04-08 Underway as before. 0800 mustered the crew on station Absentees; none.

BMC DE Morgan USN

08-12 Underway as before. 0805 C/S to 11.3 kts. 0938 C/S to 10.8 kts.

WO [illegible] USN

12-16 Underway as before. 1559 C/S to 11.3 kts.

Lt/C HC Wiegin, USNR

16-18 Underway as before. * 1616 C/S to 12.3 kts. 1623 C/S to 10.8 kts. 1632 C/S to 11.3 kts. 1643 C/S to 12.3 kts. * 1600, Retard all clocks one hour to conform with -8H time zone.

ENS JR Lage USNR

18-20 Underway as before.

BMC DE Morgan USN

20-24 Underway as before.

SMI DL Ellis USN

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James L. Whitman U. S. N. COMMANDING Robert J Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Monday 22 August 1966
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Yokosuka, Japan TO Sattahip, Thailand

POSITION ZONE TIME			POSITION ZONE TIME			POSITION ZONE TIME		
0800			1200			2000		
L 18°46.0'N	BY	2	L 18°46.5N	BY	2	L 18°19.0'N	BY	2
λ 121°47.9'E	BY	2	λ 121°08.7E	BY	2	λ 120°07.7'E	BY	2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with LSSL-102 under tow enroute Yokosuka, Japan to Sattahip, Thailand in accordance with Comseventhflt 1st Quarter FY-67 Operational Schedule Base course 250 Base speed 12.3 Material Condition Yoke (modified) set Readiness Condition IV set. Tow wire at 1500 ft. Towing engine in manual.

WO Spencer USN

04-08 Underway as before. 0455 Sighted Camiguin Is. bearing 290°, distance 21.7 miles. 0518 c/c to 270° 0535 c/c to 265°. 0602 Passed Cape Engano light abeam to port bearing 175°, distance 11 miles. 0637 c/c to 269°. 0705 Sighted Fuga Is. bearing 283°, distance 28 miles. 0745 Mustered the crew on stations; absentees, none. JH

Lt/jg F. Higgins, USNR

08-12 Underway as before. 1118, c/c 280°.

ENS J[illegible], USNR

12-16 Underway as before. 1205, c/c to 265°. 1506, c/c to 231°.

BMC T.E. Morgan USN

16-18 Underway as before. 1646 Passed Cape Bojeador light abeam to port, 7 miles.

LTJG [illegible], USN

18-20 Underway as before.

SM1 D.L. Ellis USN

20-24 Underway as before.

WO Spencer USN

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

Lt James R. Williamson U. S. N. COMMANDING Robert J. Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY (Day) 23 (Date), AUGUST (Month) 19 66

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 19°18.6'N	BY	2/4
λ 118°41.5'E	BY	2/4

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 16°50.1'N	BY	1/2
λ 118°18.4'E	BY	1/2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 16°00.2'N	BY	1&2
λ 117°17.2'E	BY	1&2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with YSS-102 under tow, enroute from Yokosuka, Japan to Sattahip, Thailand. In accordance with Comseventhflt First Quarter FY 1967 operation schedule. Base course is 231°. Base speed 12.3 kts. Material Condition Yoke (mod) and Readiness Condition II are set. Tow drive is set 1,500 ft and in manual.

Lt/g K. Higgins, USNR

04-08- Underway as before. 0745, mustered the crew on stations; absentees: none.

ENS JR Sage USNR

08-12 Underway as before. 0749, C/C to 230°.

BMC TE Morgan USN

12-16 Underway as before. 1240 C/C TO 231.

LTJG MJ Moriello, USN

16-18 Underway as before.

SM1 DL. Ellis USN

18-20 Underway as before.

WO Theodore Eggen USN

20-24 Underway as before.

Lt/g K. Higgins, USNR

APPROVED:

LT James R. Robertson U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED:

Robert J Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION - 8H DATE Wednesday 24 August 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Yokosuka, Japan TO Sattahip, Thailand

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L 34°45.1'N BY 1	L 34°19.8'N BY 142	L 13°32.1'N BY 1	3-VISUAL
λ 115°41.2'E BY 1	λ 115°09.1'E BY 142	λ 114°12.0'E BY 1	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 steaming independently with LSSL-102 under tow enroute from Yokosuka, Japan to Sattahip, Thailand in accordance with COMSEVENTH FLT first quarter FY1967 operation schedule. Base course 231°, base speed 12.3 KTS. Material condition yoke (modified) and readiness condition IV are set. Tow wire is of 1500 ft. and in manuel.

ENS. JR Lage, USNR

04-08 Underway as before. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE

BMC PE Morgan U.S.N.

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0900 EXCHANGED CALLS WITH THE LIBERIAN TANKER "ORIENTAL DRAGON" OUT OF THE PERSIAN GULF BOUND FOR JAPAN.

LTJG [illegible], USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

SM1 DL. Ellis USN

16-18 Underway as before.

WO [illegible] USN

18-20 Underway as before. 1951 c/s 6.7 KTS. 1953 c/s 10.1 KTS.

H/G [illegible], USNR

20-24 Underway as before. 2017 c/s 12.3 KTS. 2322 c/c 220°. 2336 c/c 225°. 2341 cc/231°

ENS [illegible], USNR

APPROVED: [illegible] U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: Robert J Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS Obnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Thursday 25 August 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Yokosuka, Japan TO Sattahip, Thailand

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 12°27.4'N	BY	1
λ 112°43.7'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 11°56.0'N	BY	1
λ 112°18.2'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 11°13.1N	BY	1
λ 111°25.8E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming independently with ASST-102 under tow enroute from Yokosuka, Japan to Sattahip Thailand. In accordance with ComSeventh Flt. First quarter FY 1967 operation Schedule. Base Course 231°, Base speed 12.3 KTS Material condition yoke (Modified) and readiness Condition IV are set. Tow wire is at 1500' ft. on Manuel.

BMC D.E Morgan USN.

04-08 Underway as before. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE

LTJG Marisette, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

SM1 D.L. Ellis USN

12-16 Underway as before 1228 Sighted Merchant ships bearing 226 distance About 12 miles 1300 passed unidentified Merchant Ship To Starboard bearing 300 distance 3± miles 1304 Sighted Two Merchant ships bearing 176 distance ~~16~~ Eyeby 8 miles 1325 passed unidentified Merchant Ships To port bearing 140 distance 6± miles.

WO Spearmeyer USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

LTJG H.C. Hogge, USNR

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

ENS. JR Page USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

BMC TE Morgan USN

APPROVED:

LT James A. Wilkinson U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED:

Robert J Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS ABNAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE FRIDAY (Day) 26 (Date) JUG (Month). 1966

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 10°08.8'N	BY	1
λ 109°58.9'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 9°47.1N	BY	1
λ 109°26.8 E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 9°12.9 N	BY	4
λ 108°17.6E	BY	4

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY, WITH LSSL 102 UNDER TOW, ENROUTE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT FIRST QUARTER FY 67 OPERATION SCHEDULE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MOD.) AND READINESS CONDITION FOUR ARE SET. TOW STREAMED TO 1500 FEET; TOWING MACHINE IN MANUAL WITH BRAKE SET. BASE COURSE 231, BASE SPEED ~~10~~ 12.3kts. MJM

LTJG McGuinette, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0427 SIGHTED CONTACT BEARING 230°, DISTANCE 38,000 YARDS (19 MILES). CONTACT TRACKED AND DETERMINED TO BE ON COURSE 052°, SPEED 17 KNOTS. CPA 150, DISTANCE 2,700 YARDS. 0436 C/C TO 241°. 0456 PASSED CONTACT ABEAM TO PORT, DISTANCE ABOUT 1.5 MILES. 0557 C/C TO ~~03~~ 231°. 0658 C/C TO 235°. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS, ABSENTEES, NONE RLE

SMI DL. Ellis USN

08-12 Underway As before.

WO ~~[illegible]~~ USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1215 SIGHTED MERCHANT SHIP BEARING 275, DISTANCE 11 MILES. 1240 ~~PASSED~~ SIGHTED MERCHANT SHIP BEARING 225, DISTANCE 15 MILES. 1245 PASSED MERCHANT SHIP BEARING 330° DISTANCE 10 MILES. 1301 C/C 244°. PASSED MERCHANT SHIP BEARING 140°, DISTANCE 5 MILES. 1316 POULO ~~JOHA~~ SAPETN ~~SHI~~ Isl. PASSED ~~ABEARING~~ ABEAM TO STBD BEARING 334°, DISTANCE 20 MILES. 1341 C/C TO 9.5 KTS. 1342 C/S 6.7 KTS 1343 COMMENCED HEAVING IN ON THE TOW, 1359 TOW STREAMED TO 600 FT. 1406 C/C TO 7.7, 1409 C/C 9.5 KTS. 1414 C/C TO 10.8 KTS. 1420 C/C TO 12.3 KTS. 1425 CROSSED 100 FATHOM CURVE. RLE JCH

Lt/g H.C. Higgin, USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

ENS JR Lagan, USNR

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LT James L Williams U. S. N. COMMANDING Robert G Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF96) DATE FRIDAY 26 August (Day) (Date) (Month) 1966

REMARKS-CONTINUED

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1815 PASSED MERCHANT SHIP BEARING 080° DISTANCE 5 miles.

BMC DE Morgan USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

LTJG McGonigle, USN

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

U. S. N. COMMANDING U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY 27 AUGUST 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 08° 25.6 N	BY	2/3
λ 106° 30.7 E	BY	2/3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 8° 13.8'N	BY	2/3
λ 105° 50.2'E	BY	2/3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000 08° 08.4 N		
L ~~08° 13.8 N~~	BY	2/3
λ ~~105° 50.2 E~~ 104° 46.2 E	BY	2/3

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vge

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY, WITH LSSL-102 UNDER TOW, ENROUTE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT FIRST QUARTER FY67 OPERATION SCHEDULE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION III ARE SET. TOW STREAMED TO 600FT. TOWING MACHINE IN MANUAL WITH BRAKE SET. BASE COURSE 244° BASE SPEED 12.3 KTS.
A.E 0245 SIGHTED HON BAICAWH LIGHT~~S~~ BEARING 260° DISTANCE ABOUT 30 MILES.

SMI DL. Ellis USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0608 PASSED HON BAICAWH LIGHT BEARING 324 DISTANCE 9 MILES ABEAM TO STARBOARD 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS, ABSENTEES, NONE.

WO Elza E Bynum USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, C/C 254. 0903 SIGHTED BROTHERS IS. BEARING 327, DISTANCE 18 MILES. 0948 PASSED BROTHERS IS. ABEAM TO STBD, BEARING 344, DISTANCE 17.4 MILES. 1102 BROTHERS IS. PASSED FROM SIGHT BEARING 023, DISTANCE 21 MILES. 1107 SIGHTED UNIDENTIFIED MERCHANT VESSEL BEARING 339.5 RANGE 21,000 YDS. 1115 UNIDENTIFIED MERCHANT SHIP PASSED CPA, BEARING 353, RANGE 20,500 YDS.

[signature], USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1412 SIGHTED CONTACT BEARING 318° RGE 24,200 yards. 1415 EXCHANGED CALLS WITH CONTACT, CONTACT IDENTIFIED AS USS CAMP DER 251. 1536 SIGHTED LAND BEARING 305°.

ENS John R Sage USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1608 C/C 270°

BMC T.E. Morgan USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1845 SIGHTED UNIDENTIFIED SURFACE CONTACT BEARING 335 6.7 MI. 1853 C/C 310. 1905 CONTACT IDENTIFIED AS USS ~~[illegible]~~ USCG WPB-82310. 1906 CONTACT REVERSED COURSE AND DEPARTED THE AREA. 1921 OBTAINED UNIDENTIFIED

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USS ABNAKI ATF-96 DATE SAT (Day) 27 (Date) Aug (Month). 19 66

REMARKS-CONTINUED

18-20 (CONTINUED) RADAR CONTACT BEARING 260. 16 MILES 1935. UNIDENTIFIED CONTACT TRACKED AND DETERMINED TO BE ON COURSE 100, SPEED 11. CPA 200, DISTANCE 8 MILES.

LTJG [illegible], USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2000 SIGHTED UNIDENTIFIED CONTACT M.E BEARING ~~042~~ 342° DISTANCE 9 MILES 2020 EXCHANGED CALLS WITH UNIDENTIFIED CONTACT AND FOUND TO BE USS VESUVIUS (AE 15) 2030 RECEIVED CHALLENGE AND REPLIED TO AIRCRAFT CROSSING BOW FROM PORT TO STARBOARD. 2043 SIGHTED UNIDENTIFIED CONTACT BEARING M.E ~~035~~ 335° DISTANCE ABOUT 10 MILES. 2045 EXCHANGED CALLS WITH UNIDENTIFIED CONTACT AND FOUND TO BE USS SAVAGE (DER 386). 2046 PASSED CONTACT AT CPA 200° DISTANCE 7.7 MILES. 2050 PASSED ILE POULO OBI ISLANDS ABEAM TO STARBOARD DISTANCE ABOUT 18 MI. M.E 2120 ~~46~~ C/S TO 2/3 50 RPM. 2122 C/C TO 345° IN ORDER TO AVOID USS VESUVIUS (AE15) AND USS SAVAGE (DER 386) ON REPLENISHMENT COURSE M.E 270° ~~2129~~ ~~2229~~ C/S TO STANDARD 60 RPM ~~2231~~ 2137 THE REPLENISHMENT M.E FORMATION CROSSED BOW FROM STARBOARD TO PORT AT ABOUT ~~5~~ 3 MILES. M.E ~~2233~~ 2133 SIGHTED TWO(2) FISHING BOATS DEAD AHEAD DISTANCE ABOUT 8 MILES ON STEADY BEARING & DECREASING RANGE. 2150 PASSED FISHING BOATS ABEAM TO PORT 1000 YDS. 2152 C/S TO 75 RPM 9.5 KTS. 2154 C/C TO 300° 2157 C/S TO FULL 85 RPM 10.8 KTS

SM1 D.L. Ellis USN

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY (Day) 28 (Date) AUGUST (Month). 19 66

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 9°12.7'N	BY	2&3
λ 103°26.3'E	BY	2&3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 9°27.5'N	BY	2
λ 103°02.8'E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 10°29.3N	BY	4-2
λ 102°10.3E	BY	4-2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY WITH LSSL-102 UNDER TOW, ENROUTE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT FIRST QUARTER FY67 OPERATION SCHEDULE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MOD) AND READINESS CONDITION FOUR ARE SET. TOW STREAMED TO ~~SHIP~~ JRS 600 FT. TOWING MACHINE IN ~~MANUEL~~ MANUAL WITH BRAKE SET. BASE COURSE 300 BASE SPEED 12.3 KTS. 0015 c/c 290°. 0033 c/c 310. 0231 SIGHTED CONTACT BEARING 31 DISTANCE 13 MILES 0250 c/c 295 0313 CONTACT PASSED ABEAM TO STBD. BEARING 041 DISTANCE 1 3/4 MILES ON COURSE 155 SPEED 11.5 KTS. 0313 c/c 310 WDE

WO ~~W~~ [illegible] USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0520 PANJANG IS. SIGHTED ON RADAR BEARING 333°, DISTANCE 31 MILES. 0647 SIGHTED PANJUNG IS. BEARING 336; DISTANCE 20 MILES. 0703 c/c 320°. 0715 c/c 322. 0745 ~~MUSTERED~~ MUSTERED CREW ON STATIONS; ABSENTEES: NONE. WDE

2Lt(jg) [illegible], USMC

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0828 c/c 322°. 0842 c/s 9.5 KTS. 0847 c/c 280°. 0851 c/s 6.7 KTS. 0900 ~~c/s~~ JRS c/c 260°. 0904 c/c 255°. 0916 c/c 250°. 0917 MADE RENDEVOUS WITH USS VIREO (MSC-205) FOR PERSONNEL TRANSFER. 0923 c/s 4.0 KTS. 0947 c/c 235°. 1003 c/s 12.3 KTS, c/c 309°. ~~1032~~ *0953 RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING US NAVY PERSONNEL ON BOARD FOR TRANSPORT TO ~~BANG~~ JRS SATTAHIP, THAILAND FOR R&R: PCF DIVISION 101: LT. D.L. ROBBINS, 657948; LT(JG) R.E. PAUSCH, 670.518, GMG-1 F. ADKINS, 798 85 44; GMG-1 K.R. CAMPBELL, 389 20 14; BM-2 W.E. SCHMITT, 470 85 71; EM2 J.B. OLAGUERA, 513 18 69; SN D.L. MYERS, 775 22 04. APL-55: LT EC. WEST, 634487; YNC J.W. WOZNIAK, 405 08 71; GM6-2 H.J. SYDNORI, 461 81 41; EM-2 D.G. APLEY, 521 35 52; CSC AN THOI: LT. D.J. HYNES, 624669; LT. G.M. GRAHAM, 657573; LT(JG) F.W. FRICKEY, 692763; EN2 S.R. MARDIS, 538 79 84; ETR 3 C.D. WIESEL, 771 76 93. WDE

ENS [illegible], USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1153 SPOTTED DISCOLORD WATER TO STARBORD. 1235 SIGHTED LAND BEARING 350° 26 MILES. 1500 c/s 85 rpm 10.8 KTS. 1515 c/s 90 RPM's 11.3 KTS. 1522 c/s 85 RPM's 10.8 KTS. ~~1515 c/s 90 RPM'S~~ JRS 1531 c/c 326°.

BMC [illegible] USN

APPROVED: [illegible] U. S. N. COMMANDING

EXAMINED: [illegible] U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96)

DATE SUNDAY 28 ~~28~~ AUGUST 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1600 RETARDED ALL SHIPS CLOCKS ONE HOUR TO CONFORM TO -7G TIME ZONE, ~~1543 c/s 12.3 KTS.~~ 1543 c/s 12.3KTS. 1601 POULO WAI ISLAND PASSED FROM VIEW BEARING 098, DISTANCE 22 MILES.

LTJG [signature]

~~2nd~~ 18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

SM1 D.L. Ellis USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2005 SIGHTED MERCHANT SHIP BEARING 332 DISTANCE 20 MILES. 2015 NORWEIGAN SHIP (MERCHANT) PASSED ABEAM TO PORT BEARING 231 DISTANCE 7 MILES. 2046 RADAR CONTACT BEARING 331 DISTANCE 14½ MILES. 2118 c/c 336 2133 c/c 326.

WO [signature] USN

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James R. Johnson U. S. N. COMMANDING Robert J. Peters LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS ABNAKI-(ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -7G DATE MONDAY 29 AUGUST 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L 11°57.9N BY 4	L 12°33.0 N BY 2+3	L _____ BY _____	3-VISUAL
λ 101°09.3E BY 4	λ 109°50.8 E BY 2+3	λ _____ BY _____	4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY WITH LSSL-1Ø2 UNDER TOW ENROUTE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND. IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT 1ST QUARTER FY 1967 OPERATION SCHEDULE. BASE COURSE IS 326°, BASE SPEED 12.3 KTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION IV ARE SET. TOW WIRE AT 6ØØ FT, AND TOWING ENGINE IN MANUAL. Ø2Ø5 C/S 11.3 KTS.

LT(jg) F. C. Higgins, USNR

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0634 c/s 12.3 Kts. 0750 A/E STOPPED, C/S 12.3KTS. 0736 SIGHTED CONTACT BEARING 046°, 18 MILES, CONTACT UNIDENTAFIED. Ø745 MUSTERD CREW ON STATIONS; ABSENTEES: NONE.

ENS. John R Lange, USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0803 Contact Bearing 236° 0805 Contacts Bearing 326° AND 321°. 0809 Contacts Bearing 291° AND 286°. 12 Miles 0816 sighted Land Bearing 358° on the Horizon 0823 C/c 331° 0825 Sighted Land Bearing 331° 0830 Sighted six pieces of Land on the Horizon. 0836 Contact Bearing 064° 10 miles. 0840 Contacts Bearing 276° 7 miles. 0846 Contacts Bearing 291° 6 Miles. 0852 C/c 326°. 0900 Contact Bearing 356° 11 miles. sighted Island 316° on the Horizon. 0914 C/c 330° 0926 Contact Bearing 330° 8 miles. 0936 Contact Bearing 315° 8 miles. 0928 C/c 305° 0931 C/c 300°. 0948 C/s to 75 Rpm's 9.5 KTS. 0949 sighted Fishing Stakes At 290° 1000 YRDS. 0950 C/c 305° Heaved in tow 300'. 0951 C/s to 50 Rpm's 6.7 KTS. Contact Bearing 305° 6 miles 0954 sighted Fishing stakes 295° 500 YRDS. 0956 C/s to 60 RPM's 7.7 KTS. 0958 Sighted Fishing stakes 218° 1200 YRDS. 0959 C/s to 75 Rpm's 9.5 KTS. 1000 C/c 300°. 1003 C/s to 85 RPMS 10.8 KTS. 1012 C/s to 100 RPM's 12.3 KTS. 1020 Sighted Large Buoy 290° 400 YRDS. 1021 C/c 280°. 1023 C/c 300°. 1029 Contacts Bearing 300° 16 Miles. 1050 C/c 342° 1102 Contacts 280° 10 miles. 1105 Sighted two Rocks Bearing 237 on the Horizon. 1109 Contacts Bearing 242 AND 247 10 miles. 1123 Sighted Aircraft 310° port from angel Five. 1125 Ko Chang Island passed ABEAM Bearing 020° Distance 5½ miles

BMC. D.C. Morgan USN

12-16 Underway as before. 1229 C/c 000 1229 C/s 6.7 KTS. 1237 Set The Special Sea and Anchor details 1243 C/c 050 1244 Heaved Tow In To 150 Feet 1257 C/c 160 1258 C/s 4.6 KTS. 1259 C/s 3.3 KTS. 1301 C/s 4.6 KTS 1303 C/s 2.4 KTS. 1305 NO. 2 TUG Moored To Port 1307 NO. 4 TUG

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) **DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET**

USS Abarki IATF-96 DATE 28th 29 Monday 29 August 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

12-16 (CONT.) **REMARKS-CONTINUED**

Moored To Stbd. of Tow LSSL-102 1313 Stopped Screw 1313 Short hauled Tow LSSL-102 1313 Commanding Officer LSSL-102 and Aid To Commanding Officer Sattahip, Thailand Naval base boarded From Tug No. 2 1315 C/S 1.2 KTS. 1315 C/S 2.4 KTS. 1315 Commenced breaking Tow 1316 Stopped The Screw 1317 Tug No. 2 Stood Out From Port with Commanding Officer LSSL-102 1318 C/S 1.2 KTS. 1320 C/S Stop 1326 Anchored in Area Southwest Laem Taphao Light in 17 Fathoms of water Mud and Sand bottom with 30 Fathoms of Chain To Port Anchor on The Following bearings Laem Taphao Light 068 Ko Thao Mo Light .089.5 1415 Tow disconnected Tow is Clear 1432 Secured the Special Sea and Anchor details 1506 All Chain From bridle and ~~pennant~~ PENNANT on deck 1506 Set The Special Sea and Anchor details. 1521 Commenced heaving around To Short Stay 1521 Port Anchor Housed. ~~1521~~ 1525 Underway From Anchorage To enter Port Sattahip, Thailand Steering Various Courses and Speeds Maneuvering to Anchorage No. 2 1607 passed Red Buoy Abeam To Port distance 200 yds. * 1612 Anchored Sattahip, Thailand Sattahip Bay Anchorage No 2 in 4 Fathoms of water Mud and Sand Bottom with 15 Fathoms of Chain and port Anchor on The Following bearings Ko Phra Yai 168.5 Ko Thao Mo Light 241 Laem Light 274 So Pat is Commanding Officer LSS Abarki IATF-96 1622 Secured The Special Sea and Anchor details and set Tha in Port watches.

WO Shubyan USN

1600
~~1622~~ - 2400. * ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 1648 Disembarked 2 OFFICERS AND 5 ENLISTED FROM PCF DIV-101, 1 OFFICER AND 3 ENLISTED FROM APL-55 AND 3 OFFICERS 2 ENLISTED FROM CSC ANTHOI. 1830 MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) SET.

Lt/jg K. Higgins, USNR

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

Lt James A Williams U. S. N. COMMANDING Robert J Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64) DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -7G DATE TUESDAY (Day) 30 (Date) AUG (Month) 1966

AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO SATTAHIP, THAILAND

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 13°-39.5'N	BY	3
λ 100°-45.2'E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 13°14'.9N	BY	2
λ 100°35'.4E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L	BY	
λ	BY	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D.R.

REMARKS

00-08 ANCHORED IN SATTAHIP BAY, SATTAHIP, THAILAND IN FOUR(4) FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD AND SAND BOTTOM, WITH 15 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE PORT ANCHOR ON THE FOLLOWING ANCHORAGE BEARINGS; KO PARA YAI PT, 168.5°, KO TAO NO LIGHT 241°, LAEM TAPHAO LIGHT 274°. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) IS SET. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE ROYAL THAI NAVY. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS ABNAKI (ATF-96). 0630 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS; ABSENTEES, NONE. COMMENCED PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. *0645 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL 0659 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY DRAFT READING NONE. *0645 COMMENCED HEAVING IN THE PORT ANCHOR. 0700 CAPTAIN AND ~~NAVIGATOR~~ NAVIGATOR ARE ON THE BRIDGE. PORT ANCHOR IN SIGHT, PORT ANCHOR ON DECK, STOPPER IS PASSED, 0701 UNDERWAY FOR BANGKOK, THAILAND IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT FIRST QUARTER FY 1967 OPERATION SCHEDULE. COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS, STANDING OUT OF SATTAHIP, BAY. 0707 PASSED RED BUOY ABEAM TO STBD, DISTANCE 200 YDS. 0726 SECURED PORT ANCHOR FOR SEA. 0730 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 0733 C/C 280°. 0754 C/C TO 300°.

LT(jg) K. Higgins, USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. *0808 c/s 6.7 KTS, c/s 10.8 KTS. 0858 c/c 000°. 1125 c/c 9.5 KTS. * 0800 TOOK POINT OF DEPARTURE LAEM PU CHO LIGHT SATTAHIP, THALAND BEARING 274°, DISTANCE 3.5 MILES.

ENS John R. Lage, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1215 MADE ALL PREPARATIONS FOR ENTERING PORT. 1218 c/s 7.7 kts. 1238 STATIONED THE ANCHOR DETAIL 1253 c/c 345 1300 ARRIVED AT BANGKOK PILOT SHIP. LAYING TO WHILE AWAITING PILOT. 1325 THE PILOT, MR. NYION CAME ABOARD. 1327 c/c TO 330, c/s 12 KTS. 1343 COMMENCED TRANSIT OF MAE NAM CHAO PHRAYA (BANGKOK RIVER) 1344 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE MAKING RIVER TRANSIT. 1347 PASSED BUOY 1 ABEAM TO STBD, 150 YDS. 1357 MM

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

[signature] U. S. N. COMMANDING Robert J. Lewis U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

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USS ABNAKI ATF-96 DATE TUE (Day) 30 (Date) AUG (Month) 1966

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 (CONTINUED) 1357 PASSED BUOY 3 ABEAM TO STBD, 250 YDS. 1415 PASSED BUOY 5 ABEAM TO STBD, 300 YDS. 1417 PASSED BUOY 7 ABEAM TO STBD, 200 YDS. 1433 PASSED BUOY 15 ABEAM TO STBD, 200 YDS. 1458 ENTERED THE RIVER PROPER. *1544 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO THE ROYAL THAI ORDNANCE PIER, BANGKOK, THAILAND WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. SHIPS PRESENT INCUDE UNITS OF THE THAI NAVY ONLY. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER THIS VESSEL. 1548 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1550* STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1550 THE PILOT LEFT THE SHIP.

LTJG [illegible], USN

16-24 Moored as before. JOS 1819 SF1 BOYER 479 17 13 USN DEPARTED FOR TAD WITH THE SENIOR SHORE PATROL OFFICER. 1819 JOS BM3 AUBIN 913 07 23, USN DEPARTED SHIP FOR TAD WITH THE SENIOR SHORE PATROL OFFICER. 2353 BM3 AUBIN 9130723 USN RETURNED FROM TAD. 2353 SF1 BOYER 479 17 13 USN RETORNED FROM TAD.

ENS John R. Sayre USNR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -7G DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 31 (Date) AUGUST (Month) 19 66

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ BANGKOK, THAILAND TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
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λ _____	BY	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO THE ROYAL THAI NAVY ~~PIER~~ JRS ORDINANCE PIER, BANGKOK, THAILAND WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE UNITS OF THE ROYAL THAI NAVY ONLY. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER ~~OF THIS VESSEL~~ USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) JRS. 0746 MUSTERD THE CREW AT QUARTERS ABSENTEES: NONE.

ENS John R. Sage USNR

08-24 Moored as before. 0903 Captain departed the ship to make Official Call on Commander Patrol Squadron Bangkok, Royal Thailand Navy. 0930 Pursuant to Commanding Officers Orders RD2 Edgar D. Smith 430683 USN and EN3 Alan F. Cleary 661503 USN departed the ship for TAD duty at Shore Patrol Headquarters. 1800 Set Material Condition Yoke (Modified) 2325 RD2 Edgar D. Smith 430683 USN and EN3 Alan F. Cleary 661503 USN Returned Aboard From TAD

WO Wm E. Nguyen USN

APPROVED: EXAMINED:

LT James K. Sullivan U. S. N. COMMANDING Robert J. Lewis LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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